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## Correspondence, John C. Stennis, March 4-10, 1948

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Hon John C. Stennis  
Washington D.C.

My Dear Senator,

Real it hurt the common good.  
Citizens of this great Nation of ours,  
that both parties for political reason,  
or may say promotion or "gaining the  
election," making issue such question of "civil Rights,"  
Our traditions in the Southland are too precious -  
too holy in the hearts of the people and shall  
be respected. The time is here gentlemen for  
United America. Please mail me copy  
of your speech. Dismantling the Constitution,

Respectfully,  
[Redacted Signature]

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## United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON  
RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

March 10, 1948

*Civil Rights*

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
West Jackson, Mississippi

Dear [REDACTED]

Thanks very much for your letter of March 3rd.  
It is good to have your words of encouragement, and I appreciate having your views on the proposed legislation affecting states' rights.

I am enclosing copy of my speech, together with a news release being sent out today.

With special good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

U. S. S.

Enclosure  
JCS:RVM